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From: Walczak, Joe (DEQ)
Sent: Wed 8/30/2017 7:07:34 PM
Subject: RE: Wolverine site; Rockford, MI

Hi Nuria,

Yes, PFOS has become an issue with WWW in Rockford. As an FYI, the PFOS detected in the residential well is a result of a WWW dump area (located west of town) and not the WWW site in downtown Rockford. We will definitely keep you up to date on this. I can fill you in more next week during our call.

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Subject: FW: Wolverine site; Rockford, MI

Joe:

I wanted to reach out regarding the recent article on Wolverine. Today I heard that there are

elevated PFOs compounds in private wells samples that may be attributed to the former tannery. I assume EPA may be asked to get involved and we would appreciate the heads-up. Please, see the 2012 DEQ's recommendations and EPA's response to the PA petitioners regarding the site's evaluation under the HRS.

We are requesting an update on the site including information on the PFOs findings.

Is there a need for the DEQ to involve the EPA Removal Program?

Please let us know,

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